

maining parts of this sub-title, or of any section thereof, if it had known that such part or parts thereof, or of any section thereof, would be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on the first day of June, 1927.

Approved April 1, 1927.

CHAPTER 153.

AN ACT to authorize and direct the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City to pay a pension to Geo. W. Reese, formerly a member of the police force of said City.

(*Vetoed.*)

CHAPTER 154.

AN ACT to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to issue certificates of indebtedness of said corporation to an amount not exceeding one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for the purpose of defraying the cost and expenses of providing extensions to its underground conduit systems; authorizing the submission of an ordinance for that purpose to the legal voters of the City of Baltimore; empowering the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to provide by ordinance for the expenditure of the proceeds of said loan; providing for the method of expenditure, and declaring this Act an Emergency Law.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore be, and it is hereby authorized to issue the certificates of indebtedness of said corporation to an amount not exceeding one million dollars (\$1,000,000), said certificates of indebtedness to be issued from time to time and for such amounts, payable at such periods and to bear such rate of interest, all as the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore shall by ordinance from time to time provide; but no stock or bonds shall be issued in whole or in part unless the ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore providing for the issuance thereof shall be submitted